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Mrs. Sammons at Clubs Convention

California Federation of Women's clubs convenes at Santa Cruz May 8, 9 and 10, and gives promise of being not only one of the most interesting conventions ever held, but it will bring together the largest group of clubwomen ever assembled in the state.

Mrs. Frank Sammons, president of the Torrance Women's club is now in Santa Cruz attending the convention.

VOCIFEROUS

WHAT'S ON IN TORRANCE

Today, May 9—O. E. S. Friday, May 10—Royal Neighbors, Torrance Relief. Sunday, May 12—Mothers' Day. Services in all churches. Monday, May 13—K. of C. Directors' meeting. C. of C. Public invited. W. B. A. Tuesday, May 14—Old Fellows, Rotary, American Legion, Girls' Missionary. Wednesday, May 15—Mothers, Moose, Women's Club. Thursday, May 16—W. R. C., Central Evangelical Missionary, Episcopal Ladies' Auxiliary, Lutheran Ladies' Aid.

stockings that are available. The veterans use these old stockings in rug making. Cigarettes, home-made candy and stationery is always appreciated also.

The party will leave the Legion clubhouse at 12 noon. Mrs. R. J. Deisinger is in charge of the arrangements.

AUXILIARY WILL GIVE CARD PARTY

Bert S. Crossland unit of the American Legion Auxiliary will give a card party on their regular social meeting night, Tuesday evening May 21 at 8 p. m.

Mrs. J. R. Jensen and Mrs. Nick Gallucci will be the hostesses for the evening.

Tickets for the party are being sold for 35c and are available from any Auxiliary member.

FINE DRILL TEAM IN GREAT DEMAND

The drill team of the Bert S. Crossland Unit of the American Legion Auxiliary has been busy in the past, presiding at installations and their services are in constant demand.

They installed and initiated the new Wilshire unit, the Walter Brinkub unit in Los Angeles, and the Lynwood Unit. May 16 they will go to Santa Ana to perform the initiation ceremonies. The team will leave from the clubhouse at 8 p. m. on that night.

Plans are now being developed by the local unit for a public initiation to take place some time in June.

BENEFIT BRIDGE AT TORRANCE HOMES

A benefit bridge luncheon was given Tuesday by Mrs. Annie Greiner and Mrs. Mildred Evans at their homes on Portola avenue. The proceeds went to the special banner fund.

Luncheon tables were spread at the Greiner home, and were pretty with pink and green decorations, carrying out the Maypole idea.

Following the luncheon, the guests repaired to the home of Mrs. Evans, where they enjoyed an afternoon of bridge.

Honors were awarded to Mrs. Louise Jensen and consolation to Mrs. Cleora Stanger. An award for the first grand slam was made to Mrs. Clara Baxter.

MRS. W. W. WEST PARTY HOSTESS

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. West of Torrance entertained at 500 Saturday evening. Mrs. S. A. Wheaton was awarded honors at cards.

Guests who enjoyed the affair were Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Scott of Torrance; Mrs. Wheaton, Miss Viola Wheaton, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Wade Coryell and their houseguest, Mrs. John Hart of Pasadena.

CLUB WILL GIVE DINNER TONIGHT

The Helping Hand club with members in Torrance and Lomita, will give a dinner at the Women's clubhouse, this evening, from 5:30 until 7 o'clock.

The program to follow includes pianologues by Evelyn Young, dance specialties by Virginia and Joan Schmitzberger, Ida Bryn, Betty Carpenter and Robert Lee; baritone solos, by E. J. Baldwin of New York City and surprise features.

HELPING HAND CLUB GUESTS OF MEMBERS

The Helping Hand club met Friday at the home of Mrs. W. S. Morgan, of Olive street and prepared a stork shower box to be sent to Mrs. Morgan's daughter, Mrs. Rudolph Metzler, a former member of the club, now living in Elgin, Illinois.

Members present were Mrs. R. V. Rowlett, Mrs. J. M. Cooper, Mrs. Frank Smith, Mrs. Pauline Tourtelot, Mrs. Frank Miller, Mrs. Raymond Trimm, Mrs. Jimmy Wyatt, Mrs. Paul Gilliam, Mrs. D. E. Condon, Mrs. J. V. Marsh, Mrs. Allie Duclos and Mrs. Lloyd Thrapp who were unable to attend sent in their gifts.

AID SOCIETY WILL MEET ALL DAY

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist church will have an all-day meeting at the church on Tuesday, May 14. Members are requested to come at 9:30 for sewing. Luncheon will be served at noon by Circle No. 2. A business meeting will be held in the afternoon.

MRS. SIDEBOTHAM HOSTESS TO CLUB

Mrs. May Sidebotham was hostess to the Lafatol club at her home on Narbonne avenue, Lomita, Wednesday evening of last week.

Sweet peas profusely decorated the tables.

Honors for 500 were awarded to Mrs. J. O. Moore, Mrs. J. C. Beebe, and Mrs. Paul Vonderahe.

INVITE WOMEN TO SAWTELLE PARTY

Every Torrance woman is extended an invitation to attend a card party at Sawtelle Tuesday, May 21. The trip to the Veterans hospital there is sponsored by the American Legion Auxiliary.

Jams and jellies will be taken on this trip, as well as any old silk

MRS. DUKE PEARSON ENTERTAINS THURSDAY

Mrs. Duke Pearson entertained with a surprise birthday party at her home at the Edison sub-station Thursday evening, honoring Miss Ruby Geery.

Music was the feature of the evening's entertainment. Awards for high score were made to Maxine Young and Clarence Timney.

Guests included Ruth and Helma Greenlund, Margaret Farris, Maxine Young, Georgianna Peters, Gladys Henderson, Ruth Geery, Fern McDonald, Maude Bonham, Jimmy Ekenberry, Merlyn McDougal, and Mrs. and Mrs. Clarence Timney.

ATTEND RECEPTION FOR AUXILIARY HEAD

Mrs. R. J. Deisinger, Mrs. Seager of Lomita, and Mrs. Annie Greiner attended a reception given for National American Legion Auxiliary president, Mrs. Boyd Fieldin, Jr., at the Ambassador Hotel last week.

A luncheon was given for Mrs. Fieldin at Mission Inn in Riverside on Wednesday, and Mrs. Ellis Greiner, Mrs. Cleora Stanger, Mrs. Eloda Barkdull and Mrs. Bessie Myers were guests at that.

JOLLY PARTY AT WOMEN'S CLUB MAY 17

The Jolly party of the Women's club for the families of the members is to be held in the club house on the evening of May 17. A small admission will be charged. Bridge will be played in the dining room, bunco in the auditorium and special games for the children in the foyer.

JOHN D. IVENS WEDS MISS MARJORIE INCE

The Little Church of the Flowers at Glendale was the setting for a pretty wedding Wednesday evening, May 1, when John D. Ivens took as his bride Miss Marjorie Ince of Los Angeles.

Miss Helene Peabody sang "I Love You Truly" and "O Promise Me," prior to the ceremony which was performed by Reverend Arthur W. Wurtele of St. Thomas Episcopal church in Los Angeles.

The bride was lovely in a gown of Chantilly lace and satin, with a long tulle veil. She carried a shower bouquet of white roses and lilies of the valley.

Miss Hattie Ottinger in a gown of gold chiffon with a matching hat, was maid of honor. She carried an arm bouquet of pink rosebuds and white lilies.

Little Bertha McCaughlin, dressed in organdy of pastel colors, daintily dropped rose petals in the path of the bride. Sharon Adele Thompson in a pastel organdy

Fire Dust Test Convinced Many at Demonstration

An interesting demonstration on fire fighting was witnessed by a group of firemen and citizens Monday evening on the vacant property opposite the City Hall on Cravens avenue.

A number of dry timbers saturated with oil were ignited causing a blaze over ten feet high. When the fire was well under way, representatives of "Fire Dust," a patented fire extinguishing powder, put the blaze out in five seconds. Later, gasoline fires were extinguished instantly by throwing the powder on the blaze.

In commenting upon the features of Fire Dust, J. E. West, local representative, stated that the powder created carbon dioxide gas which instantly smothered the flame, without doing damage, which results from using water or wet chemicals. He further explained that Fire Dust did not deteriorate with time and would not have to be replenished, as is frequently the case with wet chemicals.

Mr. West stated that following the demonstration Monday evening several business houses had installed the new fire fighting containers. Other interesting data concerning Fire Dust is given in an advertisement in this issue.

FRIENDS GIVE SHOWER FOR MRS. KELSEY

Mrs. E. S. Frenger, Mrs. Ray C. Young and Mrs. Grover C. Whyte were co-hostesses at a charming stork shower and luncheon Thursday afternoon, honoring Mrs. L. B. Kelsey.

The tables were lovely with bowls of forget-me-nots and Cecil Brewer rose buds. Dainty and unique place cards marked the places for 13 guests.

Covers were laid for Mrs. Kelsey, guest of honor, Mrs. C. T. Rippey, Mrs. Tom McGuire, Mrs. George Peckham, Mrs. Wallace Post, Mrs. J. S. Lancaster, Mrs. John McMillan, Mrs. R. R. Smith, Mrs. W. Harold Kingsley, Mrs. George B. Worcester, Mrs. R. J. Deisinger, Mrs. Sam Levy, Mrs. Charles Schultz, Mrs. Harvel Guttenfelder, Mrs. Frank Faour, Mrs. E. S. Frenger, Mrs. Ray Young and Mrs. Grover C. Whyte.

MRS. KISSINGER GIVES PARTY AS FAREWELL

As a farewell before leaving for a visit to Pennsylvania to last several months, Mrs. C. E. Kissinger entertained a group of her intimate friends with a lovely luncheon Friday at her home on Gramercy avenue.

The afternoon was passed with music and a social time for entertainment.

MR. AND MRS. MURRAY CELEBRATE ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. John V. Murray celebrated their 15th wedding anniversary Monday evening, when they invited 80 friends to participate at an anniversary dinner, given at their home on Andreo avenue.

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OBSERVATIONS

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After all who is the world wouldn't envy men with such an outlook on life?

THE Avalonite's day starts when the boat comes in. Except in July and August many business places never open their doors until 11 a. m. The noon boat in their 7 o'clock whist. Prior to that time they gather around on boats, play golf, go out to watch the Chicago Cubs practice, or just loiter on the benches and, as Hank Ullbricht would say, lie to one another.

Mr. Windle, publisher of the Catalina Islander, is a typical Avalonite. His cheerful philosophy enables him to dash off a column of wise cracks for his funny column in his time-wise cracks so witty that they are copied the country over. In a book called "1001 Laughs" containing many jokes from various publications, almost every page contains one or two wheezes originally written by Windle and published in the Islander.

When not pecking out jokes on his typewriter or busying himself with other duties in connection with his paper and his news stand, Mr. Windle puts in his time at his hobby. His hobby is psychology—motivation—and the effect of the glands on the mental processes.

And this study is far more important to Windle than the paper or the news stand, because he is an islander with an islander's outlook on life. Talk to him about his business and he is only mildly interested. But induce him to speak of psychology and his eyes sparkle with excitement.

MR. WINDLE is not only publisher, news-stand proprietor and psychologist. He is also justice of the peace. And his psychological discoveries as a jurist are most engaging.

Windle says that no man can lie on the stand in his court without his knowing it. Evidently the witness is unaware of the justice's plan, the justice says that he can by working up to a climax with questions produce definite physical reactions in the liar.

"At the climax," says Windle, "he will draw up his legs, stiffen his arms, and the pupils of his eyes will contract. I've tried it repeatedly and the physical reactions are always the same."

If you intend to perjure yourself don't do it in the justice court at Avalon.

CONSIDER some of the chief interests of the average islander. They are simple, yet all-consuming. Nowhere in Chicago is there such a rabid bunch of Cub fans. The islanders await the ball scores with intense interest and loud are their wallings when some radio announcer fails to report the outcome of big league games. The other day when the Cubs won two games in a double-header Avalon was supremely happy. From the reactor you can find out how well Roger Bonamy can play golf—and the barber will tell you what a tough beard Kiki Cuyler wears on his tanned visage. If the Cubs get into the world series a special train will carry half of Avalon to Chicago. Bill Wrigley has said so.

The "count" on the boat is a big item in the morning life of the islander. Shortly after 10 o'clock when the ship has left Wilmington everyone asks, "What's the count today, have you heard?"—and soon the "count" is known all over the island—a very important piece of information.

ON the pier where grizzled, sun-tanned old sea-dogs sit in front of pictures of great fish awaiting patiently for would-be tuna gaffers, one finds the utmost in solid contentment. And the stories those old timers can tell. With plenty of time to muse, they are able to spin a yarn with the best—and I doubt that no fishing yarn from the lips of one of these fine men loses anything in the telling.

When a big tuna or swordfish is hauled in every detail of the catch is vitally important and soon carried by grapevine telegraph to every interested Avalonite.

Catalina is truly a magic isle, even in summer when Avalon is filled with rollicking trippers. Even then in the crowd, visitors seem to catch the happy spirit of the place.

But to know the island, to know its people and their outlook one must spend some time among them when there is no rush, when the little village is down to its winter population and when the need for rush and bustle has not been transported with the trippers from the busy mainland.

THE colored porter at the Catalina Country Club is speaking. The whites of his eyes are the whitest white, his dark skin is like satin. Says he:

"Yea sah, Ah've been in every resort on this continent—all along the old Atlanta, down in Florida, along the gulf coast and from Vancouver south to hah. And they ain't no place on earth like Catalina. When ah come heal from the north ah had the jim-jams or somethin'. But they's all gone now and Ah've added yehs to mah life. Don't tell me about no other places. Heah's wheah Ah'm at and heah's wheah Ah'm goin' stay at."

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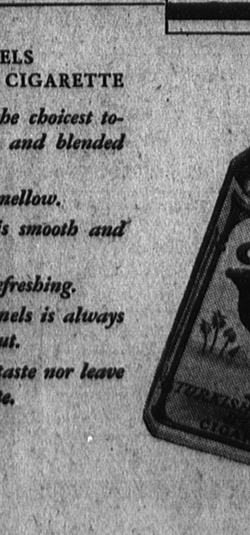
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